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Southern District of New York86 Chambers Street  
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Honorable Theodore H. Katz  
 United States Magistrate Judge  
 United States Courthouse  
 500 Pearl Street, Room 1660  
 New York, New York 10007

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Re: Jeanette Gonzalez v. Astrue  
 07 Civ. 6582 (LAP) (THK)

Dear Judge Katz:

This Office represents the Commissioner of Social Security, defendant in the above-captioned action. During my review of this case, I encountered several issues that require I seek additional information from the Agency. Therefore, with the consent of plaintiff pro se, I respectfully request a thirty day extension of time from today December 17, 2007, until January 16, 2008, to respond to the complaint.

This is defendant's second request for an extension of time to respond to the complaint, as the answer was originally due on October 15, 2007.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

*The response to the complaint  
 will be filed by January 16, 2008.  
 Any reply will be filed by  
 February 8, 2008.*

By:

Respectfully,

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**SO ORDERED**cc: Jeanette Gonzalez, Plaintiff Pro Se (By Mail)

*12/18/07* *Theodore H. Katz*  
**THEODORE H. KATZ**  
**UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

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